

Amendment No. 2 to SB3669

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3669*

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By deleting subsection (j)(7) of the amendatory language of SECTION 1 as amended and substituting instead the following:

(j)(7) On or before July 15, 2006, each general sessions court judge shall certify to the Administrative Office of the Courts the total amount of such judge's actual compensation as of August 31, 2006, the jurisdictions exercised by such judge, the legal basis for exercising such jurisdiction, and whether such judge is compensated under the provisions of this section or under a public or private act. Included in the information submitted by the judge to the Administrative Office of the Courts shall be a certification of the county's chief financial officer of the actual compensation of the judge as of August 31, 2006 or other verifiable proof of the judge's actual compensation. When all judges have certified the required information to the Administrative Office of the Courts, the Administrative Office of the Courts shall report to each general sessions court judge the amount of compensation to be paid to such general sessions court judge beginning on September 1, 2006 based on the information provided by such judges. Thereafter, when a new court is created, a new judge takes office, or any similar change occurs, or upon the completion of a new federal census, the Administrative Office of the Courts shall report the amount of compensation to be paid to any judge affected by such change.

FURTHER AMEND by adding the following to the end of subsection (j)(4) of the amendatory language of SECTION 1 as amended:

Provided, however, no judge shall be paid a salary that reflects jurisdictional supplements that such judge is not entitled to exercise by law.

FURTHER AMEND by adding the following new subdivision to subsection (j) of the amendatory language of SECTION 1 as amended:

() The judges of the general sessions court in any county with a population of not less than three hundred eighty-two thousand (382,000) nor more than three hundred eighty-two thousand one hundred (382,100) according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census and that has a charter form of government shall receive the same annual compensation as the general sessions judges in those counties with a metropolitan form of government and a population in excess of five hundred thousand (500,000) according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census.

FURTHER AMEND by adding the following new section immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION __. Chapter 324 of the Public Acts of 2005 is repealed in its entirety.

FURTHER AMEND by adding the following new section immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION __. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.